

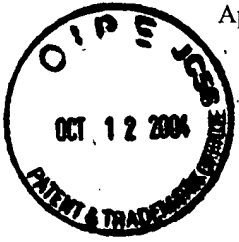


AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)				Docket No. RDID0096US	
Applicant(s): HEINDL, Dieter et al.					
Application No. 09/043,411	Filing Date August 30, 2001	Examiner Susan Marie Hanley	Customer No. 23690	Group Art Unit 1651	Confirmation No. 7807
Invention: REAGENT FOR LABELLING OF NUCLEIC ACID					
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October 11, 2004

Dear Sir:

This reply is in response to the Official Action dated June 30, 2004 which has a shortened statutory period for response of three months that expired on September 30, 2004. A petition for a 1-month extension of time until October 30, 2004 is enclosed herewith.